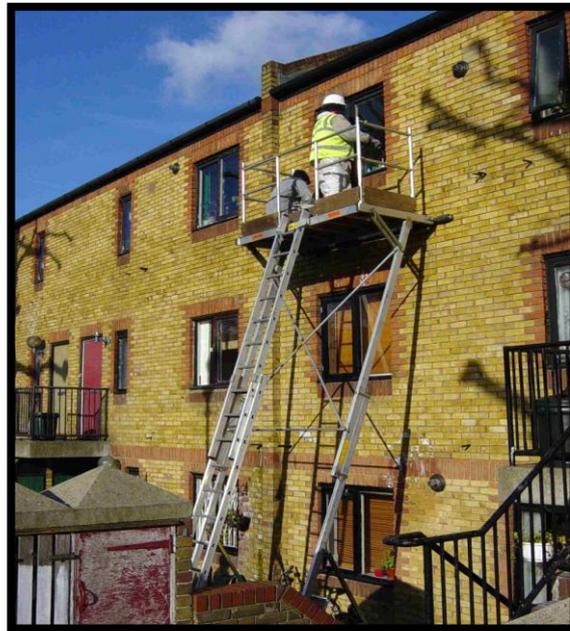




SAFETY AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL

2m Easi - Dec Platform System

Assembly Instructions



Temporary access device conforming to the test requirements of
BS EN 12811 CLASS 2 & EN 13374 CLASS C

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PLEASE BE ADVISED: Before assembling the Easi-Dec system for the first time, it is highly recommended that Installers familiarise themselves with the component parts and carry out a test assembly and disassembly in a safe area away from the point of final installation. All component parts detailed in the operating instructions must be used in the assembly of the system. Should a piece be missing or appear defective do not continue to assemble and contact Easi-Dec Immediately.

OPERATIVES SHOULD HOLD AN UP TO DATE EASI-DEC TRAINING CERTIFICATE

Step 1



Lay out the components ready for assembly with the platform against the wall with wheels on the ground. Identify the corresponding leg for each side of the platform (Green - Left / Red - Right)

Step 2



Fit both Legs using the Pins and 'R' Clips provided and ensure that the Pins are inserted outside in, to minimise the risk of the 'R' Clips being Knocked out. **REMEMBER:** Fit the Legs to the 'Normal use' hole Labelled on the underside of the platform.

Step 3



Swing the Dec Support Struts and secure with the Pins and 'R' Clips provided.

Step 4



Pull out the 'R' Clips and release the two Cross Braces from their stowed position.

Step 5



Fit the Horizontal Brace over the retaining studs.

Step 6



Swing out each Brace over to the opposite Leg and secure onto the retaining stud using the two 'R' Clips provided in a downward position.

Step 7



With bent Legs and a straight back, lift the Easi-Dec firstly to waist height, then using your arms to offer it to the wall and roll it up into position.

NOTE: Pay particular attention to the balance of the Easi-Dec platform, the position of the handhold and the way the Claw foot grips whilst taking a second handhold.

Step 8



Adjust the height by removing the two Leg Pins and rolling the Easi-Dec Platform up the wall to the desired height and replace both Leg Pins remembering to also replace the safety 'R' Clips provided. After adjusting to height it will be necessary to re-level the Easi-Dec platform by moving the feet either away or towards the wall.

Step 9



The Feet maybe adjusted in 25mm increments but in extreme cases either Leg can be adjusted Independently. Fit Pins and 'R' Clips to secure.

Step 10



Fit the Back Legs by removing the Middle Pin first, holding onto it and lowering the brace.

Step 11



Remove the top Pin and fit the Back Leg at about eye level to the Main Leg.

Step 12



When fitting the Brace the Back Leg Foot should be as close to the wall as possible, without fouling the wall or touching the ground. Fit the Pin and 'R' Clip.

Step 13



Drop the Feet to the ground and take them back up to the next hole and secure with the Pin and 'R' Clip. Ideally a finger's clearance under them will ensure the Easi-Dec Platform remains in contact with the wall.

Step 14



The Ladder is placed against the Platform, extended 1 metre above platform level between the Ladder Restraints of the Platform and sided to the right to allow enough room to step through on the left hand side.

Step 15



Fig 1 Easi-Dec Ladder spurs.

Foot the Ladder or use a suitable Ladder safety device, such as Easi-Dec Ladder Spurs shown in **Fig 1**. Climb the ladder and tie off both sides with the Ladder Ties provided.

Step 16



Position the Right Guardrail over your shoulder, when climbing the Ladder, maintain three points of contact. **REMEMBER:** When fitting the Guardrail to the Left hand side of the Platform carry up on the Left shoulder.

Step 17



Feed one arm through the top rung of the Ladder and fit the Right Guardrail into the two front sockets and gently ease the back of the Guardrail open. **(NOTE: Always Feed one arm through the top rung as this provides a handhold when positioning the Guardrail.)**

Step 18



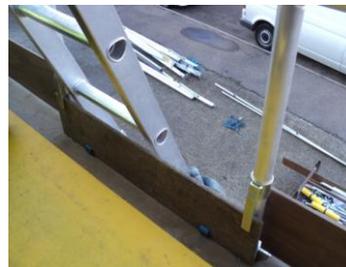
Repeat **STEPS 16 & 17** for the Left Guardrail.

Step 19



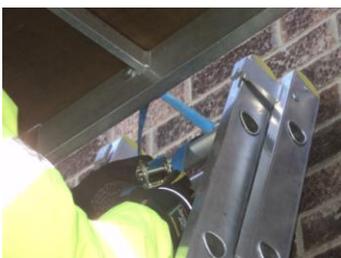
Climb onto the Platform and position the rear Uprights into the rear locating sockets on the Platform for both the Left and Right handed Guardrail. Make sure all uprights have been secured with Pins & 'R' Clips provided.

Step 20



Raise the Toe-Board across the Ladder access point and close the Draw Bar.

TOP FIX



For additional safety the Easi-Dec will always be fixed to the wall via an Eye-Bolt.

Remember

- Back legs must be fitted.
- All Ladders should be erected using 4:1 rule and tied off for maximum safety.
- Always assess the site for suitability. Top fixing the Dec and/or spiking of the feet maybe required.
- To comply with the BS EN 12811 & EN13374 then the Dec needs to be tied into the structure, however a risk assessment should to be undertaken in all instances to ascertain the correct procedure.

Remember: always tie the Dec's into the structure if used as edge protection.

- It is important when handling the Easi-Dec products in elevated weather temperatures, that the appropriate PPE is used.

Dismantle: Reverse the above procedure.